

BEFORE THE
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
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Docket No. R2001-1

MOTION FOR LATE ACCEPTANCE OF
UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OPPOSITION TO DAVID B. POPKIN
MOTION TO COMPEL RESPONSE TO INTERROGATORIES DBP/USPS-9 and 67
(December 31, 2001)

The United States Postal Service hereby moves for late acceptance of its opposition to David B. Popkin Motion to Compel Response to interrogatories DBP/USPS-9 and 67, filed on December 17, 2001. The Objection was due on December 26, 2001 and is thus 3 business days late. The undersigned counsel has been preparing for oral hearing and inadvertently missed the filing date. The Postal Service regrets any inconvenience but does not believe that any party has been prejudiced by this delay.

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

By its attorneys:

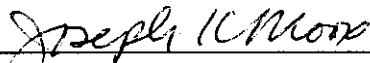
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.



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